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SUBJECT: SWEDISH DRAFT PROTOCOL CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE AS ANNEX
TO DRAFT COMPREHENSIVE NUCLEAR TEST BAN TREATY

1. MEMBER OF SWEDISH CCD DELEGATION (NORBERG) PASSED US DISARMA-
MENT OFFICIAL A COPY OF SWEDISH DRAFT OF PROTOCOL ON FUNCTIONS
AND RULES OF PROCEDURES OF A CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE. THE PROTOCOL
IS INTENDED TO BE ANNEXED TO THE DRAFT TREATY BANNING NUCLEAR
WEAPON TEST EXPLOSIONS IN ALL ENVIRONMENTS (CCD/526) WHICH THE
SWEDES TABLED AT THE CONFERENCE OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISARMAMENT
(CCD) THIS SPRING. IT IS UNDERSTOOD THAT SWEDISH CCD REP (THORSSON)
WILL PRESENT THIS DRAFT PROTOCOL EARLY IN THE CCD SUMMER SESSION
WHICH STARTS ON JULY 5.

2. NORBERG SAID THAT SWEDISH DEL WOULD WELCOME US COMMENTS ON DRAFT
PROTOCOL, IF POSSIBLE PRIOR TO JULY 7, WHICH IS PROBABLY DATE OF
PRESENTATION TO CCD.

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3. TEXT OF PROTOCOL FOLLOWS:

BEGIN TEXT: 1. THE CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE IS THE MAIN INSTRUMENT OF
THE PARTIES TO THE TREATY BANNING NUCLEAR WEAPON TEST EXPLOSIONS
IN ALL ENVIRONMENTS FOR CONSULTATIONS IN MATTERS RELATING TO
THE FUNCTIONING AND IMPLEMENTATION OF THE TREATY.

2. MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE IS OPEN TO ALL PARTIES TO THE TREATY. EACH MEMBER SHOULD BE REPRESENTED BY ONE REPRESENTATIVE, WHO CAN BE ASSISTED BY ONE OR SEVERAL ADVISERS. THE DEPOSITARY OR HIS REPRESENTATIVE SHOULD SERVE AS THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE AND ONE OF HIS REPRESENTATIVES SHOULD ACT AS SECRETARY OF THE COMMITTEE. THE DEPOSITARY SHALL EITHER ON HIS OWN INITIATIVE OR WITHIN ONE MONTH OF THE RECEIPT OF A REQUEST FROM ANY PARTY CONVENE THE COMMITTEE.

3. THE COMMITTEE HAS AN ADVISORY ROLE. ITS DECISIONS SHOULD BE TAKEN BY CONSENSUS. IT SHOULD ISSUE A REPORT AFTER EACH MEETING, WHERE ALL POINTS OF VIEW SHOULD BE RECORDED.

4. THE COMMITTEE SHOULD CONSIDER QUESTIONS CONCERNING COMPLIANCE WITH THE OBLIGATIONS ASSUMED UNDER THE TREATY. IT SHOULD ALSO CONSIDER PROPOSALS FOR FURTHER INCREASING THE VIABILITY OF THE TREATY, INCLUDING THE PREPARATION OF REVIEW CONFERENCES FORESEEN IN ARTICLE...OF THE TREATY.

5. EACH MEMBER OF THE COMMITTEE HAS THE RIGHT TO MAKE INQUIRIES TO OTHER MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEE ON EVENTS PERTAINING TO THE SUBJECT MATTER OF THE TREATY AND TO RECEIVE INFORMATION AS A RESULT OF SUCH INQUIRIES. END TEXTSORENSEN

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